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The Library of Congress,
Washington, D.C.

July 16, 1923

To the Secretary,
New York Numismatic Society,
New York City.

Dear Sir:

In preparation for the writing of a book on
"Bills of Credit - During the Colonial Period", I have been searching
for material at the Library of Congress, at Widener Library (Harvard
University), at the Boston Public and Boston State House Libraries,
and at the New York Public Library.

I am anxious to obtain exhaustive ^{and} inclusive
evidence of all the Colonial Bills of Credit now in existence. I write
to your association in earnest request that you privilege me
with information as to the sources, or originals, you may have
in your State concerning Bills of Credit issued by your
State during its Colonial period.

I am especially anxious to obtain access to
Bills of Credit - in the original. I find but four at the

Library of Congress. Has your State any of its own in existence,
in archives, in narrative, and on record?

If you can extend aid to me, I assure you
I shall be most appreciative.

Very truly yours,

Louise L. Capen (A.M.)

Address reply to:

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N. J.

July 27th, 1923

Miss Louise I. Capen
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Dear Madam:

In response to your letter of July 16th, we shall be very glad to welcome you at our Museum and place at your disposal any books in our library or any information that we might have regarding your subject.

In the absence of our Curator, I am unable to say whether or not we have any Colonial Bills of Credit but I think we have none.

Our library is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. (excepting Mondays), and possibly after you have enlightened us a little as to just the form your Bills of Credit take in the Colonial Period, we may be able to be of service.

Very truly yours,

Librarian & Secretary

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